EXHIBIT A

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF RHODE ISLAND

CONSORZIO DEL PROSCIUTTO
DI SAN DANIELE
v.
DANIELE, INC.

C.A. No.: 07-039ML

AFFIDAVIT

I, VLADO DUKCEVICH, of the Town of Lincoln, County of Providence, State of Rhode Island, after being duly sworn, upon oath, depose and say as follows:

1. That I am a shareholder, vice president and treasurer of Daniele International, Inc. and I have personal knowledge of the facts contained herein.

2. On October 24, 1975, Daniele Prosciutto, Inc. was incorporated in Rhode Island.

3. On December 3, 1976, the trademark "DANIELE" was first used for prosciutto that was manufactured in Rhode Island and sold throughout the United States.

4. On June 19, 1979, Daniele Prosciutto, Inc. filed U.S. Trademark Application Ser. No. 73/220,297 for the name "DANIELE."

5. On March 3, 1981, Daniele Prosciutto, Inc. was issued Registration No. 1,148,080 on its trademark "DANIELE."

6. On March 3, 2001, Daniele Prosciutto, Inc.'s Registration No. 1,148,080 expired by inadvertence and mistake.

7. On December 27, 2001, Daniele Prosciutto, Inc. merged with GIO International Foods,

Inc. and the surviving company became Daniele International, Inc.

8. On March 25, 2002, Daniele International, Inc. filed U.S. Trademark Application Ser. No. 76/389,585 for the name "DANIELE."

9. Consorzio del Prosciutto di San Daniele filed an opposition to Daniele International, Inc.'s registration of the trademark "DANIELE" claiming that the trademark was geographically deceptive.

10. Daniele International, Inc. sells meat products including mortadella, dry sausage, capocollo and salami in addition to prosciutto. The sale of prosciutto represents approximately ten percent (10%) of Daniele International, Inc.'s total sales for all meat products manufactured and distributed throughout the United States and in Asia. Daniele International, Inc. does not sell any meat products in Europe.

11. Daniele International, Inc. sells its meat products to wholesale distributors and large retail outlets such as Costco, Sam's Club, Stop & Shop, Albertson's and Acme.

12. Daniele International, Inc. manufactures and sells domestic style prosciutto that is sold in prepared packages as either a whole boneless pork thigh and/or in pre-sliced packages. The packages range in weight between 15 and 18 pounds and cost between $7.50 and $8.50 per pound.

13. To resolve the trademark dispute that was pending relative to the application that was filed on March 25, 2002, Daniele International, Inc. and Consorzio del Prosciutto di San Daniele entered into an agreement dated August 6, 2003. (Attached is a true and accurate copy of the

agreement).

14. The August 6, 2003 agreement was prepared and drafted by attorneys on behalf of Consorzio del Prosciutto di San Daniele.

15. Daniele International, Inc. did not have its attorneys review or draft any part of the agreement.

16. A lawsuit was filed in Federal Court arising out of the agreement that was signed on August 6, 2003 and the case was entitled, "Daniele International, Inc. v. Consorzio del Prosciutto di San Daniele, of Via Umberto I," C.A. No. 03-512ML. The case was dismissed with prejudice on or about April 1, 2005 after the parties signed a settlement agreement on March 25, 2005. (Attached hereto is a copy of the March 25, 2005 agreement).

17. In accordance with section 2 of the March 25, 2005 agreement, Daniele International, Inc. has stopped using the single word Daniele in its logo relative to the sale of prosciutto and has been using the fictitious name Daniele, Inc.

18. In accordance with section 5 of the March 25, 2005 settlement agreement, Daniele International, Inc. ceased using the Daniele word and logo trademarks in connection with the sale of prosciutto and ham and instead has used different trademarks bearing no resemblance to San Daniele relative to the sale of its prosciutto and ham. The five (5) trademarks used by Daniele in accordance with section 5 of the agreement, which are all different and which bear no resemblance to "San Daniele," are as follows:

A. PRESIDENT'S RESERVE 400

B. PRESIDENT'S

C. GRAN PREMIO

D. RISERVA

E. DELI-CUT-O

19. Attached are copies of the packaging labels for each of the five (5) trademarks being used by Daniele, Inc. on the sale of its prosciutto.

20. Daniele International, Inc., by and through its trademark counsel, I. Stephen Samuels, sent copies of the packaging labels to the Consorzio's counsel, Stuart E. Benson, on September 28, 2005, September 11, 2006 and May 10, 2007.

21. The date of first use for each of the trademarks is as follows:

A. PRESIDENT'S RESERVE 400 - November 1990

B. PRESIDENT'S - May 25, 2005

C. GRAN PREMIO - March 28, 1990

D. RISERVA - October 2006

E. DELI-CUT-O - April 2, 1992

22. Applications were submitted to the U.S. Trademark office to register the five (5) trademarks on April 23, 2007. (Attached are copies of the applications that were electronically filed).

23. In accordance with section 6 of the March 25, 2005 settlement agreement, Daniele

International, Inc. has used the fictitious name "DANIELE, INC." to represent the name of the manufacturer of its prosciutto and the DANIELE, INC. trade name has been in letters no larger than one-fourth the size of the letters used in the five (5) trademarks identified in paragraph 18.

24. The five (5) trademarks being used by Daniele International, Inc. are in accordance with the exemplar that was approved for use by the Consorzio which was attached as Exhibit A to the agreement.

25. In accordance with section 7 of the March 25, 2005 agreement, Daniele International, Inc.'s labels on its prosciutto indicate that the prosciutto is made in the United States. The packaging labels that just had the U.S. Inspection Sticker on them and not the additional "Made in the US" have all been modified.

26. Daniele International, Inc. changed its brochure in 2004 to eliminate objectionable wording to satisfy the Consorzio's concerns and Daniele International, Inc. has modified its website that is operated by a third party and the website is now in literal compliance with sections 8 and 9 of the agreement. The website was modified on or about January 2006.

27. In accordance with section 12 of the March 25, 2005 agreement, Daniele International, Inc. paid the Consorzio $75,000.00.

28. In accordance with section 14 of the March 25, 2005 agreement, Daniele International, Inc. amended its Federal Application and eliminated the word "Prosciutto" from the application. The United States Patent and Trademark office issued Registration No. 3,018,911 on November 29, 2005 for the trademark "DANIELE." Daniele International, Inc.

uses this trademark for the sale of all of its meats with the exception of prosciutto.

29. Daniele International, Inc. is in full compliance with the March 25, 2005 settlement agreement and any minor breaches were not material and have been corrected.

VLADO DUKCEVICH

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

COUNTY OF Providence

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of June, 2007.

Notary Public
Notary Printed Name: MICHAEL S. ABBOOD, Notary Public
My Commission Expires: June 27, 2009